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Applicant(s): Mika KIVIMAKI
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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 7, 2005

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing of a Request for Continued Examination along with an Amendment within the first month subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the Notice of Appeal filed on October 7, 2004.

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee required for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

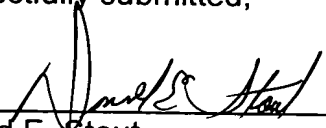
It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the Deposit Account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (1302.39020X00).

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